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Applicant : Remacle et al.  
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For : METHOD AND KIT  
FOR THE SCREENING,  
THE DETECTION  
AND/OR THE  
QUANTIFICATION OF  
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FACTORS

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NOTIFICATION OF LOSS OF ENTITLEMENT TO  
SMALL ENTITY STATUS 37 C.F.R. § 1.28(b)

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby notifies the Patent and Trademark Office that it is no longer entitled to status as a small entity as of August 17, 2002 and that the claim for small entity status set forth in the verified statement filed on March 23, 2001 is hereby withdrawn. A firm check for the fee deficiency totaling \$2,895 for the following responses filed after August 17, 2002 is enclosed herewith:

- 1). \$460 – 3 month extension of time for response filed September 3, 2002;
- 2). \$160 – Notice of Appeal filed January 20, 2003;
- 3). \$840 – RCE and 3 month extension of time filed June 18, 2003;
- 4). \$475 – 3 month extension of time filed with Amendment on April 8, 2004
- 5). \$450 – RCE and 1 month extension of time filed October 7, 2004;
- 6). \$510 – 3 month extension of time filed with response on July 6, 2005;

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,

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